

February 11, 2024
Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

1 Corinthians 10:31
So whether you eat or drink or whatever you do, DO IT ALL for the glory of God.

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St. Therese
Catholic
Church



Dear Saint Therese, the Church needs to radiate the brightness, the fragrance and the joy of the Gospel. Send us your roses! Help us to be, like yourself, ever confident in God's immense love for us, so that we may imitate each day your "little way" of holiness. Amen.

The Divine Liturgy

Sunday Obligation

Saturday: 5:00pm
Sunday: 8:30am
11:00am
1:30pm (Spanish)

Weekday Masses

Monday, NO MASS
Tuesday, 12:10pm
Wednesday, 8:30am
Thursday, 12:10pm
Friday, 12:10pm
First Saturday, 9:00am

Holy Days

check bulletin or website
Adoration of the Blessed Sacrament & Benediction
Thursday, 7:00pm
First Friday, 12:45pm and 7:00pm
Sacrament of Reconciliation
Saturdays: 4:00pm - 4:45pm
Thursdays: 7:00pm —7:45pm

Parish Office

Hours: 9:00am — 2:45pm
Monday — Friday
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Wilson, NC 27893-3047
Phone: 252-237-3019
E-mail:
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New Parishioners

Welcome to our parish. We invite you to register, as soon as possible. Registration forms are available in the office during office hours, in the Tower Room or on our parish website. Though a rather simple act, registration allows the parish to know how many families live in the parish. It also provides an official record of your membership and is essential for sacramental preparations and sponsorship certification.

Sacrament of Baptism

Parents must be registered members of the Parish and in full communion with the Roman Catholic Church. Participation in the Pre-Baptismal Program is required. Parents must register by calling the parish office.

Sacrament of Matrimony

Arrangements must be made with the Pastor at least six months in advance. Participation in Marriage Preparation Workshop is required.

Sacrament of Anointing

The sacrament is celebrated upon request prior to surgery or at the time of illness. Please notify the Parish office of the illness or hospitalization of a parishioner.

For emergencies, please see next page.



**WELCOME ALL GUESTS TO
ST. THERESE CHURCH.
WE ARE GLAD YOU HAVE JOINED US
TODAY AND HOPE TO SEE YOU AGAIN.**

Readings of the Day #886 – Order of Mass #229

| | | |
|----------------------------------|---|-----------------|
| Prelude: | <i>Prelude in G</i> | Bach |
| Processional: | <i>There's a wideness in God's mercy</i> | 595 |
| Kyrie | | 232 |
| Gloria | | front page |
| Responsorial Psalm: | <i>I turn to you, O Lord, in time of trouble, and you fill me with the joy of salvation.</i> | 886 |
| Gospel Acclamation | | G117 |
| Preparation of the Gifts: | <i>Let all mortal flesh keep silence</i> | 523 |
| Sanctus | | 348 |
| Memorial Acclamation: | <i>Save us, Savior of the world, for by your Cross and Resurrection you have set us free.</i> | front page C |
| Final Doxology | | 245 |
| Agnus Dei | | 269 |
| Communion: | <i>We gather together</i> | 760 |
| | <i>Choir: Lift every voice and sing</i> | 641 |
| Recessional: | <i>Love divine, all loves excelling</i> | 588 |
| Postlude: | <i>Rondeau</i> | Campre |



**ANOIDING OF THE SICK
PRIEST VISIT
NON-EMERGENCY**

Non-emergency priest visits to the home or hospital should be requested by calling the office during regular office hours. Requests for non-emergency anointings may also be made at the church at anytime. Requests for homebound or nursing home visits on a regular basis, temporary or long-term, are set up through the church office.

**FOR EMERGENCY ONLY
PRIEST VISIT**

When someone is under the threat of death, please call the office at **252-237-3019**. If it is after office hours or on a weekend, press **option 9**. Please be sure to leave a clear message with your name and phone number. For additional assistance you may call Deacon Michel at 252-230-4668.

ASSISTED LISTENING DEVICES

Listening devices are available for those who need hearing assistance during Mass. You may pick one up in the sacristy before Mass. Please return it to the sacristy after Mass.

PLEASE DO NOT WRAP THE WIRE AROUND THE RECEIVER!!!!

If there is a problem with the unit, please let Yvonne, our sacristan, know what the problem is.

SPECIAL NEEDS

If you have any special needs regarding the reception of the Holy Eucharist, such as being physically unable to approach the Altar, please tell the Usher.



ASH WEDNESDAY

THIS Wednesday, February 14 is Ash Wednesday.

Ashes will be distributed at all Masses.

Masses will be celebrated in English at

8:30am, 12:10pm and 6:00pm and in Spanish at 7:30pm.



LITTLE BLACK LENTEN PRAYER BOOKS

We have the Little Black Lenten Prayer Books, free of charge. Please pick one up in the Tower Room today.



parishioners:

| | |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| Mary Alsager | Gene Nemechek |
| Odell Batts | Anna Proctor |
| Dorothy Calamito | Fanny Quintavalle |
| Sandra Cary | Robert Sexsmith |
| Tom Christenberry | Mary Stanton |
| Ralph Dendler | Susan Thomas |

family and friends:

| | |
|---------------------|------------------|
| Jay Arena | Max Long |
| Trang Baseel | Henry McGrain |
| Patty Bolin | Alice McLaughlin |
| Shaun Breen | Carrie Oteri |
| Catherine Carmody | Timothy Oteri |
| Jeanette Diegelman | Peggy Parker |
| Jerry Emerson, Jr | Alex Proctor |
| Tommy Gibson | Kenny Rayfield |
| Maverick Haselton | Pat Reilly |
| Lisa Howell | Ceil Roccas |
| Carmen Judd | Nikki Roccas |
| Edward T Kettner | Michael Smith |
| Roz Kettner | Audrey Taylor |
| Georgianna Lavallee | Michael Thomas |
| | Maria Zunigli |

* indicates names were added this week
 Names for the prayer list **must** be at the request of, or approved by a family member. They will remain on the prayer list for a period of **one month**. If you would like to have a name added, removed or **retained**, please call the parish office.



ALTAR FLOWERS

If you would like to sponsor the flowers in honor or memory of someone, please call **Tery** in the church office.



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| 2/10 | <u>Saturday</u> | 9:00 am | No Mass |
| | | 5:00 pm | ✠ Joe Rodri |
| 2/11 | <u>Sunday</u> | 8:30 am | ✠ Norma & Marcie Kohn |
| | | 11:00 am | ♥ People of the Parish |
| | | 1:30 pm | Mass in Spanish |
| 2/12 | <u>Monday</u> | 12:10 pm | No Mass |
| 2/13 | <u>Tuesday</u> | 12:10 pm | ✠ Stella Ostaszewski |
| | | | ✠ Kathleen Warrell |
| | | | ♥ Mary Ca Alsager |
| 2/14 | <u>Wednesday</u> | ASH WEDNESDAY | |
| | | 8:30 am | ✠ Paul Hoeing |
| | | 12:10 pm | ✠ Corinne Rixham |
| | | 6:00 pm | ✠ Knights of Columbus |
| | | 7:30 pm | Mass in Spanish |
| 2/15 | <u>Thursday</u> | 12:10 pm | ✠ Connie Swartzwelder |
| | | | ♥ Shiela Clark |
| | | | ♥ Jorge Armhold |
| 2/16 | <u>Friday</u> | 12:10 pm | ✠ Billy Rabil |
| | | | ✠ Barry Maynor |
| | | | ♥ Jerry Haakinson |
| 2/17 | <u>Saturday</u> | 9:00 am | No Mass |
| | | 5:00 pm | ✠ Walter Waida |
| 2/18 | <u>Sunday</u> | 8:30 am | ♥ Jean & Dave Stolarik |
| | | 11:00 am | ♥ People of the Parish |
| | | 1:30 pm | Mass in Spanish |



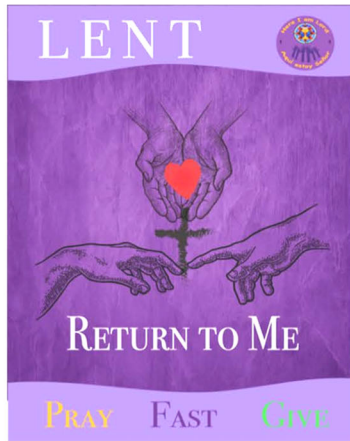
Pray for those serving

In Italy: *Juan Garcia Raya*
In Iraq: *Ana Maria Escobedo*
Specialist Jared Schow
In New Mexico: *Airman Kemari Joelle Jones*
In Japan: *Jasmin Piedra*
In Mideast: *Lt Peter Ewan*
In US: *James Stead*
In the Navy: *CPO Adrain Pappas*

Preparing for LENT- Return to Me with All Your Heart

40 Days of Lent

- † Time to prepare for Easter
- † Time to listen to the Word of God and change our lives
- † Time to think about the meaning and implications of our Baptism
- † Time of reconciliation with God, self and others
- † Time to **PRAY, FAST and GIVE**



Triduum

Holy Thursday is the institution of

- † the Eucharist
- † the Priesthood
- † the New Commandment of Love

Good Friday, the Church reflects on the Passion of the Lord and Venerates the Cross

Easter Vigil, the holiest of holies includes the Service of Light, the Word, Baptism and the Eucharist

Pray

Our Relationship with God

- † Each morning, read Scripture and engage in a dialogue with our Lord
- † Divine Mercy
- † Friday Stations of the Cross at 7pm
- † Bilingual Penance Services March 14 at 7pm
- † Eucharistic Adoration
- † The traveling monstrance
- † For the Catechumens and Candidates

Ash Wednesday - February 14

If you are willing to:

- † Change
- † Convert
- † Pray
- † Be in Solidarity
- † Walk through this Desert

Then, put the ashes not only on your forehead, but in your heart and in your life.

Fast

Our Relationship with Ourselves

- † Purify ourselves by replacing the desires of the body and mind with our true heart's desire to love God and love one another
- † Put down your cell phone and pick up your child
- † Give up the addiction to social media, television, and other material possessions

Norms

- The "Gloria" is omitted.
- The "Alleluia" is omitted.
- No ornaments or flowers in the Church at any time.
- The color purple is used.
- Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are days of **fasting and abstinence. Fridays of Lent are also days of abstinence.**
 - Fasting is observed for all between the ages of 18-59. **One full meal and two small meals that do not equal another full meal are allowed.**
 - Abstinence is observed by all 14 years of age and older. **On days of abstinence, no meat is allowed.**

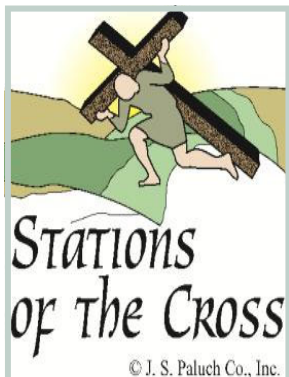
Give

Our Relationship with Others

- † CRS Rice Bowl
- † Works of Mercy: Feed the Poor, Shelter the Homeless, Visit the Sick and Imprisoned, Clothe the Naked, Bury the Dead
- † Volunteer or give to St. Therese Food for the poor

Soup Suppers and Stations of the Cross

Every Friday join in fellowship with our community and share a meal at 5:30pm. Share a meal and share your time. Come walk Christ's Passion as Christians have done for centuries. At 7pm, we will walk the Stations from a different perspective: Women, Children, Men and Youth.

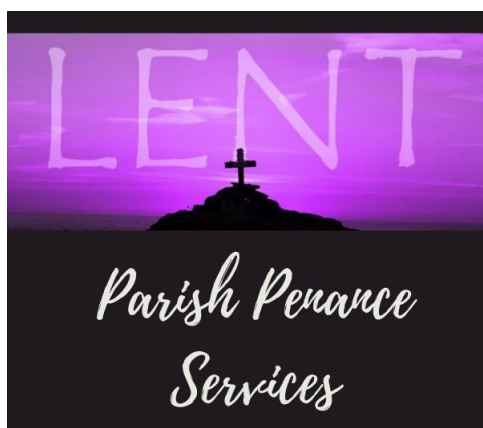


STATIONS OF THE CROSS **AND SOUP SUPPER**

Every Friday in Lent, we will have the Stations of the Cross at 7pm preceded by a Soup Supper at 5:30pm in the school. Soup Suppers are open to all parishioners and all are encouraged to attend! Please join us for supper and fellowship in the school gym.



If you would like to bring some soup, there are sign up sheets in the vestibule.



PENANCE SERVICE

St. Therese's Parish

Lent **Penance Service**

will be held on

Thursday, March 14 at 7pm.

As you prepare for Easter, remember the most important part — your soul. Everyone is urged to receive the Sacrament of Reconciliation during the Lent Season, so mark your calendars now!

If you can't attend the penance service here, below are some other penance services in our area (all start at 7pm except where noted):

- ◇ Tuesday, February 20— St. Peter, Greenville
 - ◇ Wednesday, February 21— St. Elizabeth, Farmville
 - ◇ Wednesday, February 28— Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Rocky Mount, NC
 - ◇ Wednesday, March 6— St. Catherine, Tarboro
 - ◇ Tuesday, March 12 — St. John the Baptist, Roanoke Rapids
 - ◇ Wednesday, March 13— **6:45pm**, St. Gabriel, Greenville
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REGISTRATION DEADLINE IS MONDAY!

St. Therese Catholic Church

Women's Morning Reflection

Saturday, March 2, 2024

All Women are invited to Join us as we discover **The Titles of Mary**



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Schedule

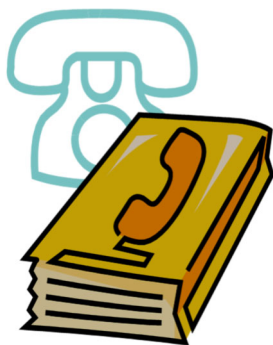
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| 8:30 AM | Rosary (Optional) in Church |
| 9:00 AM | Mass in Church |
| 9: 45 AM | Registration in Parish Hall Continental Breakfast |
| 10:15 AM | Program Begins and includes: Small Group Discussions Door Prizes |
| 12:45 PM | Closing in Church Blessing with Relic Litany |
| 1:00 PM | Dismissal |

RSVP

To RSVP
Call or Email Tery Petrella
at (252) 237 – 3019 — Option 2
Stcbkeeper@sttheresewilson.com
Please RSVP before February 12, 2024.

Spaces are limited.
Early registration is encouraged.

Program is FREE
but donations will be accepted.



LAST CHANCE!

Time for a New Parish Directory!

We are starting to prepare for an updated directory.

Are you not in the previous directory? Did you move? Did you change your phone number? Is your primary phone number your cell phone? If so, do you want your cell phone number published? Did you add a child to your family? Are any of your currently listed children now living on their own?

Help us make sure we print your correct information AND that you will be included in this next directory.

EVERYONE is asked to please call or e-mail the Church office
252-237-3019, press 1 or st.therese.wilson@gmail.com
to verify your information by Feb 12.

If we don't hear from you, you may be left out.

Thank you to all those that have already called/e-mailed.



Anniversaries

Congratulations to **Liberato & Lois Frezza** who are celebrating their 69th wedding anniversary.

May God continue to watch over and bless their marriage.

BAPTISM



Baptism Preparation Class

Our baptism preparation class, **for baptisms that will be celebrated in English**, is usually held the second Sunday of each month **from 12:15-1:15pm**. Our next class will be **Sunday, February 11**.

Pre-registration is required.

This class is required for all parents who will have their child baptized at St. Therese. We will not schedule a baptism date until the parents have attended the class. Any parishioner that will be a godparent at St. Therese or in another parish may also attend.

Please call the Church office at least **a week in advance** to register for the class and a month in advance to schedule a **baptism date**. Baptisms take place after the 5pm Mass on Saturday evenings or after the 11am Mass on Sunday mornings.

PLEASE NOTE: Godparent forms need to be signed IN THE PRESENCE OF a Catholic priest or deacon.

RCIA



Does someone you know have questions about our Catholic faith?

Please tell them about RCIA at St. Therese and ask them to call Anne Bach (234-6227) or the Church office (237-3019) if they are interested in the classes.



Anyone want to play BUNCO!

Bunco is a dice game that originated in 19th century England. It is easy to learn, easy to play, no experience is needed and a great time to socialize. We are looking at possibly playing during the day. If you are interested, please call the church office and let them know what day and time you would prefer to meet.

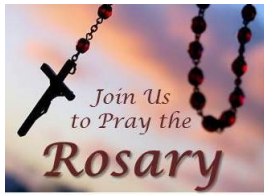


Cornerstone Charismatic Prayer Group

For where 2 or 3 are gathered in my name, there am I in their midst — Mt 18:20

Let us come together to pray and praise the Lord. (Bring your Bible.)

We meet at 10:15am every Monday morning in the Carmelite house.
Contact: Eileen Campbell, 243-4327.



Rosary

Join us every **Monday at 12:10pm in the Chapel** to pray the rosary.



St. Therese Women's Group

Our group is open to all women of the Parish. There are no dues. Our next meeting will be on **MONDAY, February 12 at 6:30pm in the Carmelite house.**

**** Please note change of day because of Spaghetti Supper.**

If you would like to be a Co-Chair of this group, please contact Colleen Coda.

If you would like to receive the Women's Group Updates, please contact Maureen Hooper.
Contacts: Maureen Hooper— 252-291-1051
mdhoop19@gmail.com



Book Club aka God Seekers

Our next meeting is **February 14 at 10:30am** in the school.**

****Note: Change of time because of Ash Wednesday.**



We will discuss *The Afterlife (Purgatory and Heaven)* by Fr Dolindo Ruotolo (Part 1). We will discuss Part 2 in March. We welcome everyone who would like to come. Contact Joan Satterly, 291-0523, if you have any questions.



Kneady Gals

Our next bake time is

****Friday, February 16, at 9am in the school kitchen.**

****Note: Change of day.**

If you care to join us, all you need is a desire to knead & some basic supplies (a bowl, measuring cups & spoons, rolling pin, etc). No experience is necessary and we welcome all who like to socialize and meet new people. For more information, call Pat McCollum at 617-449-8798.



Children's Hunger Elimination of Wilson (CHEW)

CHEW distributes weekend meals to chronically hungry students in Wilson County. The food is purchased with donations. The real strength of CHEW is the many volunteers that give of their time and energy to staff the distribution centers and pack the food items. **Our next pack day will be Monday, February 19 from 10:30am-11:30am. We are in need of more volunteers.** If you would like to help, please contact the Church office.



Parish Advisory Council

Our next meeting will be on **Tuesday, February 20 at 7pm** in the Carmelite house.



PRIME-TIMERS

Attention parishioners ages 50 and over: Join us for lunch **on Wednesday, February 21** at 11:30am, at Parkers Barbecue, 2514 US-301.**

****NOTE: Change of week because of Ash Wednesday.**

Please RSVP to Susan Ewan, 252-237-8722 by **Monday, February 19.**



Knights of Columbus

Our next meetings will be **Tuesdays, February 27 and March 12 at 7pm in the Knights Room** in the school building.

We are inviting all Catholic men to join our council. The Knights are a fraternal organization of Catholic men who help to serve our priests, parish and our community. Contact Jack Schimick, 243-0493.



Homebound/Sick Ministry

We are looking for parishioners that would be interested in visiting and/or bringing Communion to our homebound, our sick and our parishioners in assisted living facilities. If you would like to serve in this ministry, please **call the Church office.**



Altar Server Recognition

Every time one of our young people participates in the Mass as an altar server, their name will be entered into a drawing. The next drawing will be the end of March. Thank you to the Knights of Columbus for sponsoring the next quarter's prizes. If any parishioner, group, or business would like to sponsor a future drawing or donate a prize, please contact Joan Satterly.



Liturgical Ministers NEEDED
Altar Servers, Readers, Ushers, and

Extraordinary Ministers are ALL NEEDED to assist at all weekend Masses, holy days and special Masses. Please contact Joan Satterly at satshak@aol.com, if you are interested.



Volunteers Needed!

The Altar Guild is responsible for washing the altar linens on a rotating basis (about once every two months) and helping to occasionally clean the inside of the Church. Please think about serving **your** parish in this way. If you would like to help, please contact Bernadette Whitley, 399-9475.

LITURGICAL MINISTERS' SCHEDULES

**Ash Wednesday
February
14**

| | <u>8:30 am</u> | <u>12:10pm</u> | <u>6:00pm</u> |
|------------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Reader..... | Jean Stolarik | Joan Satterly | Norma Tedera |
| Extraordinary Ministers..... | Nora Williford Tim Winks | JoAnn O'Sullivan Alice Risko | Jennifer Douglas Thomas Thurman |
| Ushers..... | Mike Radford | Paul Farris | Betty Hooks |
| Altar Servers..... | | | Gabriel Douglas |
| Distributors of Ashes..... | Colleen Coda | Tom Boylan Mark Herring | Deacon Michel Louise Bellavance |

**First Sunday
of
Lent
February
17/18**

(old p. 744
new p. 752)

| | <u>Sat—5:00pm</u> | <u>Sun—8:30am</u> | <u>Sun—11am</u> |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Reader..... | Brian Lynch | Norma Tedera | Jack Miller |
| Extraordinary Ministers.... | Loretta Trainor Joan Satterly | TJ & Teresa Nguyen | Romero Salazar Sandra Hernandez |
| Ushers..... | Eileen Carter Mike Radford | Luisa Breen Harshala Pinto | Thomas Bryant Thomas Swartzwelder |
| Altar Servers..... | need servers | Sylar Lamm Brian Julian Martinez | Miguel & Mia Salazar |
| Linens..... | Shiela Clark | | |
| Counters (2/19) Monday..... | Ed Ackerson and Scott Fleck | | |

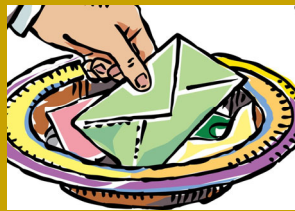


**OFFERING
COUNTERS**
the church office.

COUNTERS NEEDED

We are looking for a few parishioners to help count the offertory collections. The counting is done on Monday mornings for a few hours and the rotation is about every 6 weeks. If you are interested, please contact Tery in the church office.

**Weekly
Offertory
FEBRUARY 4**



Weekly Offertory **Last Year:** \$7,898.00
This Year: \$9,482.00

January's Budget: \$42,548.00
January's Actual: \$43,843.00

Year-to-Date Budget: \$279,587.00
Year-to-Date Actual: \$305,408.00
(July 1—January 31)

Priest Retirement Assessment
for Fiscal Year 2023-2024: \$26,311.00
Received 2023-2024: \$17,538.00

Offertory Envelopes sent: 257

Envelopes received : 95

Thank you for your continued support!

*Please remember St. Therese Church
in your will.*



Columbarium
Two columbarium units are located on the church grounds. Please contact Jack Schimick, 252-243-0493 or the church office for any information regarding the purchase of a niche. Each niche holds two urns. The urns and engraving are included.



Second Collection
THIS weekend's second collection is for the **Church maintenance fund.** Thank you in advance for your generosity.



SPECIAL COLLECTION
Next Sunday is SHARE SUNDAY.

Please place non-perishable food (no glass containers) or monetary donations in the baskets provided. Share Sunday donation envelopes may be placed in the regular collection. Monetary donation are distributed to Hope Station, Wesley Shelter and Choices Women's Center.



Online Giving

Credit cards are accepted!!

You can set up recurring donations or just one-time donations. You may use the QR code or go to:

<https://sttheresewilson.weshareonline.org/index.aspx>

There is an option for all the annual special collections. Just click "events" on the main page and choose from the drop down menu.

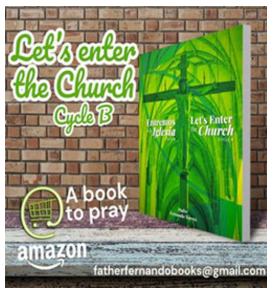


COME TO ADORATION
"Come to me, all you who are weary and burdened, and I will give you rest." - Mt 11:28

In our self-centered culture and classic American emphasis on work, we often feel we have to accomplish something during our times of prayer before the Blessed Sacrament. We rate our experience by how 'good' our prayer was, how heartfelt our devotion was, or how focused we could remain. Yet prayer and contemplation are fundamentally God's work, in which we are invited to participate. We need only to give Him the opening, and He will do the rest. By coming to adoration, we are handing Him the keys to our hearts, allowing the rays of His love and grace to bathe our souls in the light of His Presence, as the rays of the sun bathe our bodies in light. If we can take the time to pull away from the busyness and distractions of life and just sit at His feet, He will lead us.

"Let us take time, in the course of the week, in passing, to go in and spend a moment with The Lord who is near."
— Pope Benedict XVI

Give Him the "opening"!! **Come to Adoration each Thursday from 7pm till 8pm, benediction follows. We also have Adoration on every first Friday. He is waiting for You!! Come!**



Check out Father Fernando's book.
Each Sunday and on the special celebrations, this book is intended to be an aid for the biblical message to resound not only in our ears but also in our minds and hearts. <https://a.co/d/bhnr1x>



TAN BOOKS

Catholic Faith Resources

Our RCIA program is using the Credo program from Tan Books which is available to all our parishioners. If you are interested in accessing this program, please e-mail st.therease.wilson@gmail.com and we will give you the access code and login instructions.

Don't Miss the **DEADLINE!**

Bulletin DEADLINES
PLEASE MAKE NOTE OF THE FOLLOWING BULLETIN DEADLINES:
▶ *EARLY DEADLINE:
Tuesday, February 13 for Sunday, February 25
▶ Friday, February 23 for Sunday, March 3

All announcements need to be **in writing or e-mailed** and in the parish office by **2pm**.
No EXCEPTIONS!



PARISH COMMUNICATION

Our parish is using the remind app/program. This program is a great tool to **communicate quickly and efficiently any changes in schedules** along with gentle reminders of activities going on in our church.

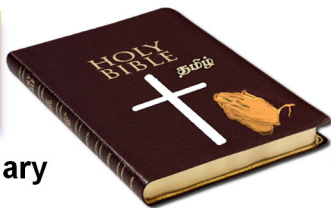
To receive e-mails: send blank e-mail to stccinfo2@mail.remind.com
To receive texts: text @stccinfo2 to number 81010

Catholic School Applications Now Open! Grades PK-8

OLPH Catholic School, Rocky Mount, is now accepting new applications for the 2024-2025 school year. Visit <https://school.olphrm.com> to apply. Full scholarships available through NC Opportunity Scholarship Email admissions@olphrm.com to find out more. Educating the whole child—academically, spiritually, physically, and emotionally since 1939.



**READINGS
OF THE DAY**



SAINTS OF THE DAY

Feb 11, Sixth Sunday in Ordinary Time

Lev 13:1-2, 44-46 / Ps 32:1-2, 5, 11 / 1 Cor 10:31-11:1 / Mk 1:40-45

Feb 12, Monday of the Sixth Week in Ordinary Time

Jam 1:1-11 / Ps 119:67-68,71-72, 75-76 / Mk 8:11-13

Feb 13, Tuesday of the Sixth Week in Ordinary Time

Jam 1:12-18 / Ps 94:12-15, 18-19 / Mk 8:14-21

Feb 14, Wednesday, Ash Wednesday

Jl 2:12-18 / Ps 51:3-6, 12-14, 17 / 2 Cor 5:20-6:2 / Mt 6:1-6, 16-18

Feb 15, Thursday after Ash Wednesday

Deut 30:15-20 / Ps 1:1-4, 6 / Lk 9:22-25

Feb 16, Friday after Ash Wednesday

Is 58:1-9 / Ps 51:3-6, 18-19 / Mt 9:14-15

Feb 17, Saturday after Ash Wednesday (Memorial of the Seven Founders of the Order of Servites)

Is 58:9-14 / Ps 86:1-6 / Lk 5:27-32

Feb 18, First Sunday of Lent

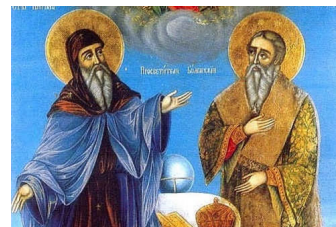
Gen 9:8-15 / Ps 25:4-9 / 1 Pt 3:18-22 / Mk 1:12-15

February 11 Our Lady of Lourdes According to St. Bernadette, the visionary at Lourdes in 1858, the Virgin Mary proclaimed herself “The Immaculate Conception”; patroness of Portugal and the Philippines.



February 14 Cyril and Methodius

Cyril, a monk, died in 869 and Methodius, a bishop, died in 885; brothers known as the “Apostles to the Slavs”; prepared Slavic liturgical texts; served as the “spiritual bridge between Eastern and Western traditions”; patrons of the Czech Republic, Slovakia, Slovenia, Croatia, Bosnia-Herzegovina and of all Europe.



February 17 Seven Holy Founders of the Servite Order

the Order of the Friar Servants of Mary was founded by 7 Florentine cloth merchants in 1223; they popularized devotions to Our Lady of Sorrows.



Courage / Encourage

Courage is a Roman Catholic apostolate which ministers to persons, both men and women, who experience same-sex attractions and desire support to live the Catholic Church’s teaching on chastity. The local chapter of Courage in the Diocese of Raleigh can be reached confidentially at courage@couragenc.org, or 984-900-3212.

EnCourage is a related program for the loved ones – parents, siblings, spouses, or children – of persons who experience and act on same-sex attractions. These chapters meet separately from Courage chapters, but with similar aims to devote their whole lives to Christ and the life of grace, and so to be a good example to their loved ones and to the world. The local chapter of EnCourage meets monthly and can be reached at encourage@couragenc.org, or 984-900-3212.



WORLD-WIDE MARRIAGE ENCOUNTER (WWME)

“Whether you eat or drink, or whatever you do, do everything for the glory of God.” Does your

marriage give glory to God? Learn how to let your Sacrament shine on the next WWME weekend on

Mar 8-10 in a VIRTUAL WEEKEND, or May 3-5 in Hickory, NC.

For more information contact us at 704-315-2144 or applications@NCMarriageDiscovery.org





KNEADY GALS
are asking
EVERYONE
to save the dates:
March 23 & 24
for their Bake Sale!
They need
bakers & buyers.

SHARE 
your
HEART
Hope Station



Food Drive

Tuesday, February 13th

8:00 am - 4:00 pm

Shoppes at Brentwood

2801 Ward Blvd Wilson, NC 27893



2024 Food Pantry Wish List

Peanut Butter

Canned (pop-top) or shelf-stable entrees (beef stew, chili, etc.)

Canned fruit, applesauce, or fruit cups (no sugar added)

Canned or powdered milk

Pudding snack cups

Cereal (whole grain)

Soups or Broth



For more information contact HOPE STATION

309 Goldsboro Street East Wilson, NC 27893

252-291-7278



**Be a Valentine for
Someone in Need!**



We have begun the 2024 Bishop's Annual Appeal. The Bishop's Annual Appeal is our opportunity as members of the larger Catholic community to have an impact on the physical and spiritual lives of our brothers and sisters in Eastern NC. We are **STRONGER TOGETHER**. **Please visit givetobaa.org, scan the below QR code or if you received a pledge card in the mail, mail that back in the enclosed envelope (which has a Charlotte address) and help us make a difference. Our goal this year is \$60,027.11.**

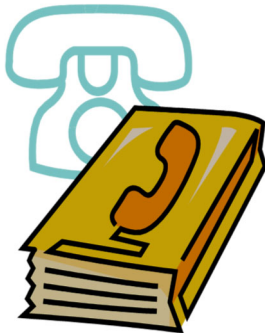


Hemos comenzado la Campaña Anual del Obispo 2024. La Campaña Anual del Obispo es nuestra oportunidad como miembros de la comunidad católica más grande de tener un impacto en la vida física y espiritual de nuestros hermanos y hermanas en el este de Carolina del Norte. Somos **MÁS FUERTES JUNTOS**.

Visite Givetobaa.org o escanee el código QR y ayúdenos a marcar la diferencia. Nuestra meta este año es \$60,027.11.



BAA



¡Es hora de un nuevo directorio parroquial!

Estamos empezando a prepararnos para un directorio actualizado. Ayúdanos a asegurarnos de que imprimimos tu información correcta. **Se pide a TODOS que llamen o envíen un correo electrónico a la oficina de la Iglesia. 252-237-3019, presione 1 o st.therese.wilson@gmail.com para verificar su información antes del 12 de febrero. Si no tenemos noticias tuyas, es posible que quede fuera.**



Unción de los Enfermos

Para solicitar el sacramento de la unción de los enfermos en caso de que no sea de emergencia se debe

llamar a la oficina para que el sacerdote visite al enfermo en el hogar o en el hospital. En caso de emergencia, en peligro de muerte, llame a la oficina al 252-237-3019. Presione el número 9 para emergencia y deje un mensaje claro, con su nombre y el número de teléfono. Para asistencia adicional puede llamar al Diácono Michel al 252-230-4668.

Sacramento de la Confesión

Sábados de 4:00 pm a 4:45pm

Jueves de 7:00 pm a 7:45pm

FECHAS IMPORTANTES PARA LOS SACRAMENTOS

Pláticas bautismales, miércoles 6pm

(2 pláticas en la serie) presenten copia de acta de nacimiento en la primera plática:

mar 6, 13; abr 3, 10

Bautismos: 6 abr, 18 mayo, 8 jun

contacto la Hna Martha para programar una fecha

Pláticas matrimoniales, en la escuela

jueves, 7pm: abr 4, 11, 18, 25; mayo 2, 9, 16

domingo, 11am: junio 9, 16, 23, 30

Para Ponerse en contacto

con:

- ◆ Hermana Martha Alvarado, HSMG (calendario de quinceaños, bodas; catequesis de adultos y adolescentes en español; pláticas matrimoniales; consultas familiares) 252-505-6258
- ◆ Elizabeth Ortiz (oficina de la iglesia, habla español), 252-237-3019 opción 7
- ◆ Ana María “Anita” Serratos – ministros en la misa, lectores, ujieres, 252-290-5304
- ◆ Abraham Mora – música, coro de niños 252-969-4336
- ◆ Edith Serrano – música, 252-292-4762
- ◆ Felipa A Salazar—venta de biblias y artículos religiosos, 252-290-5569
- ◆ Maria de Jesús “Marichuy” Mosqueda—ensayos para bodas y quinceaños 252-668-9266



REQUISITOS PARA BAUTIZAR A UN NIÑO

-**Inscripción previa con dos (2) meses de anticipación** con Hna. Martha (252-505-6258)

-**Padres (y/o padrinos) deben asistir en misa,** en domingo o durante la semana, en Sta Teresita u otra iglesia católica, como **muestra de cumplir la promesa** que se hace en la ceremonia de criar a sus hijos en la práctica de la fe católica.

-**Padres (y/o padrinos) asisten en pláticas bautismales** (vea calendario de fechas ya establecidas).

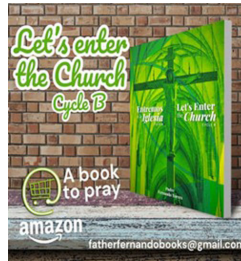
- Padrinos deben ser **casados por la iglesia,** y católicos practicantes.

Donaciones en Línea

Hemos recibido nuestro nuevo código QR para que puedas dar tu donativo dominical en línea.

Es muy fácil, solo necesitas usar el celular y completar la información.

<https://sttheresewilson.weshareonline.org/index.aspx>



Échale un vistazo al nuevo libro del padre Fernando.

Cada domingo y en las celebraciones especiales, este libro pretende ser una ayuda para que el mensaje bíblico resuene no solo en nuestros oídos, sino también, en nuestras mentes y corazones,

<https://a.co/d/bhnrR1x>



Las solicitudes para escuelas católicas ya están abiertas! -Grados PK-8

La escuela católica OLPH, Rocky Mount, ahora acepta nuevas solicitudes para el año escolar 2024-2025. Visite <https://school.olphrm.com/> para presentar su solicitud.

Becas completas disponibles a través de NC Opportunity Scholarship. Envíe un correo electrónico a admissions@olphrm.com para obtener más información.

Educar al niño en su totalidad:
académica, espiritual y física y emocionalmente desde 1939.



Bishop McGuinness Council 4660
Knights of Columbus
St. Therese Church



Spaghetti Supper



Tuesday,

February 13, 2024

Dinner — 4pm to 7:00pm

St Therese Gymnasium

700 Nash St, NE, Wilson

Donation—\$10.00 per person



Dine In — All You Can Eat
Take out Available - **NO drive through**

Must walk in to Pick Up

Children under 5 Eat In Free

Gluten Free Available

We would like to thank all parishioners for
their support:

Please remember the event is this:

Tuesday the 13th ,
the evening before **Ash Wednesday**

Forget Fast Food!
We'll Serve You
Good Food Fast

**There are very limited tickets remaining, if
no one is selling tickets this weekend you
may try to reach out to your favorite
Knight to see if anything is available**